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May 29, 1987

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CERTIFIED MAIL: RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Wess Sorenson Southern Utah Fuel Company P.O. Box P Salina, Utah 84654

Dear Mr. Sorenson:

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DIVISION OF OIL. GAS & MINING

I have enclosed the Convulsion Canyon mine mining plan approval document. The Assistant Secretary-Land and Minerals Management approved the mining plan, and it became effective on May 19, 1987. The Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSMRE) has accepted the bond in the amount of \$1,099,000.00 payable to both the State of Utah and the United States of America. Please read the mining plan approval document to be sure that you understand the requirements and conditions.

Enclosed is a copy of the newspaper notice we are sending to the Richfield Reaper, Sevier County, Utah, to be published as soon as possible. When published, this notice will constitute official notification of our action.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call either me or Rick Holbrook at (303) 844-2451.

Sincerely,

Peter A. Rutledge, Chief Division of Federal Programs

Enclosures

cc: L Dr. Dianne Nielson Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

> Mr. Gene Nodine Bureau of Land Management-Moab District

Mr. Robert Hagen Albuquerque Field Office Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement

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